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### Buckingham County Officers

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Jail Commissioner—W. C. Trent, Shippards, R. F. D.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 23, 1907.

## CAPTAIN PATTESON AND BUCKINGHAM OFFICERS.

Senator Patteson undertakes in a lengthy article in this issue to instruct the Democratic voters how to vote. That the Captain is honest in his convictions, we have no doubt, but his position is wrong. The Norfolk State Convention of Democrats, of which Convention the editor of this paper was a member, declared the plan of a primary and the State Committee has from time to time construed the party law as to this plan. It is not necessary to print the name of any candidate on a ticket unless you have more than one candidate for that particular office. The Democratic Committee is directed to declare all candidates nominated who have no opposition before the primary. This is what the Buckingham Committee did.

As to the principle involved in a county fight, the Captain is correct; there is absolutely nothing at stake except the office, but when a voter participates in a primary he is morally bound to support all the nominees of that primary and to this extent the principle of party organization and loyalty is involved. Democrats should stand by their organization. If the org nization is bad, the party has a right to your counsel and influence to rid it of corruption and all unfairness.

Secretary Taft is avoiding even the smell of a cocktail, while Mr. Fairbanks laments his breakfast folly.

Every time Hetty Green talks for public tion, she betrays the fact that she is blessed with common sense as well as the long green.

The latest is to the effect that in New York there has been formed a Roosevelt-Hearst combination, "Politics make strange bed-fellows."

Ex-Governor Tyler ought to go to congress as successor to Colonel Slemp. It is a good disposition to make of an ex governor.

Dont you know Richmond has been feeling lonesome now that there is neither convention, horse show nor fair. But there were "hot times in the old town" while they lasted.

The Washington Herald says there would be a howl if Uncle Sam should advance the price of postage stamps. Spare us uncle, until the meat magnates relax their hold.

It was home-coming week in Baltimore and the old town has had the "hustle on." Even the staid old Sun says, "Baltimore is a regular hummer." Things must have been lively indeed.

A great crisis to be feared in the Philippines. Maybe Secretary Taft can hold the lid down. But the average American is disgusted with the whole affair. Let the elephant go, and expend our money and muscle on our own public roads.

## The Buckingham County Officers.

I have been requested by a considerable number of the best Democrats, as to the duty impo ed upon Democratic voters, by the recent primary election.

My opinion is as follows—I do not believe upon principle that the choice of county officers as a rule should be made the subject of partisan politics. These offices are purely ministerial in their character, and the incumbents have nothing whatever to do with shaping the policies of their respective parties. This is particularly the duty of the members of the Legislature and Congress and other similar offices. There cannot in the nature of things be such a thing as a Democratic sheriff or a Republican sheriff, for all these officers are sworn to do their duty alike to all without reference to class or race the same justice has to be impartially meted out to all. But admitting that the primary includes them, I here state that in my opinion the law in reference to primary elections was not properly carried out and enforced in the recent primary election in Buckingham, because the names of the candidates for these county offices were not printed on the ballots. The printing of three names, in my opinion was not only unnecessary, but indispensable. It was not done and the Democratic voters of Buckingham had no opportunity of choosing their choice. Indeed I go so far as to state that if the names had been printed as the primary was in my opinion require, if they had received a single vote they would have been the lawful nominees of the Democratic party. But not having received a single vote, I do not feel the Democratic Committee without the power to make these nominations. It is a basic fundamental principle of the Democratic party, that all power rests with the people, and if the committee and the power to make the nominations, they must derive it from the people. This I think is plain, and if I am correct, then every Democratic voter has the right to exercise his choice, and vote for before he guesses among the candidates for county officers without being disloyal to his party, but it is no duty to vote for Mr. W. C. White and Judge A. S. Hall, because their names were on the ticket at the primary election. The voters did exercise their opportunity to make choice. No such opportunity is given them so far as the county officers were concerned. This is briefly my position. If I am wrong I am honestly wrong. I am and have been a Democrat all of my life, and I expect to continue to be a Democrat as long as I live. I am sixty-seven years old, and for forty-six years I have regularly voted the Democratic ticket. While comparisons are odious, I will not shrink from a comparison of my Democracy with any man in Virginia. I freely admit that there was a strong reason for making partisan nominations for county officers before the new Virginia Constitution went into effect, but since the limitation of the negro suffrage, there is no longer any danger of having negro officers and therefore no reason now existing for extending the range of partisan politics, as white supremacy is absolutely assured forever in Virginia It is a source to me of profound satisfaction, that the new constitution of Virginia has given us all a wider latitude of political discretion than was permissible before its adoption. I cannot close this paper without congratulating my fellow-citizens upon the fact that the good people of Virginia are doing their full part in urging forward the great and beneficent revolution which is sweeping over the land in favor of the honest administration of all the laws of the land and in which is a determined opposition to the aggressive assaults of corporations upon the rights of the people. I am delighted to perceive the growth of opposition to fraud in elections, and I thank my God that the day is not far distant when the odious Walton Election Law will exist only as a hideous memo y in the minds of the people. For my own part, I have enlisted in a crusade against fraud in elections, and I believe every good Democrat will co-operate with me in this firm determination, and I trust that the day is far distant in Virginia when nominations for office will be made by committees in the place of the people. It is the sacred right of the people to make their nominations, and they ought to adhere to it. I wish it to be distinctly understood that I make no sort of a charge and no intimation of wrong doing against the Buckingham County Democratic Committee. They are upright honorable gentlemen who would scorn to do any thing wrong or improper. The only charge I make against them is that they made in my opinion, an unintentional error of judgment.

CAMM PATTESON

Senator representing the 18th Senatorial District of Virginia, October 18th, 1907.

A seat in Congress is more valuable than ever before and we would not be surprised if some of the "ins" should become "outs." The prize is worth the struggle. What we most need there are those in favor of government aid towards public road improvement.

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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 16, 1907.


Mrs. Hunter Galaher is sick.

Mrs. W. B. Caldwell is quite sick.

Myrtle, the little baby of W. P. Gunter, is sick.

Dr. J. B Abbit has returned from the exposition.

Mrs. J. B. Abbitt is visiting friends in Norfolk.

Mrs. C. Franklin returned from Richmond yesterday.

Mr. John C. Shearer visited Rocky Mount this week.

Mr. B. C. Harvey has returned from a trip to the exposition.

Mrs. W. P. Gunter went to Lynchburg Sunday on a visit to her father.

Mr. Luther LeGrand spent last Sunday with his mother near Appomattox

Mrs. Anderson B. Smith and Miss Rebecca Wear will leave for Richmond Friday.

Messrs. W. J. Hubbard and F. H. Spencer, of Buckingham, are in the village today.

We call attention to the advertisement of H. Silverthorn company in this issue.

Mrs. S. D. Bryant and children and M. F. Ferguson, were the guests of Mr. B. D. Ferguson last week.

Mrs. J. T. Frazier, who has been visiting her parents here for several days, leaves today for her home in Tazewell.

Rev. S. K. Winn will preach next Sunday morning at 11:30 o'clock at Union, and at Marsh's school house at 7:30 p. m.

Messrs. A. H. Clement and H. W. McKinney attended the marriage of Sheriff F. W. McKinney in Amherst yesterday.

Mr. Ellis Sims presents this office with a huge pumpkin—about the size of half-bushel measure. Now for pumpkin pie.

Mr. Thomas Harvey presents us with a sweet potato that makes us glad. It weighs 4½ pounds and is of the red variety too.

Rev. Geo. W. Wiley, formerly of the Appomattox Circuit of the M. E. Church, is holding a series of meetings at Pamplin this week.

Misses Edyth and Virginia Atwood and Mr. R. C. Harvey leave today to attend the Harvey-Dillard wedding which takes place in Lynchburg.

The modern Remedy Company closed a week's engagement here on last Monday night. They presented good plays and the people around enjoyed them.

Friends of Miss Edyth Atwood will be glad to learn that after a prolonged stay in the hospital at Lynchburg, she is again at her home here.

Mrs. May, of Keesville, stopped over in Appomattox last week and spent the night with her sister, Mrs Matheson. She was on her way to Charlottesville to attend a meeting of the Foreign Missionary Society.

Miss Annie Wheeler and Mr. R. J. Paulette took flight and landed in North Carolina last week where they were united in marriage. The happy pair will reside near Evergreen where the groom is a prominent lumber dealer.

Willie Keith shot John Shepley Friday near Pamplin City. The load from a shot gun took effect in the leg which was amputated, and the boy is said to be dangerously ill. It is claimed the shooting was accidental. The boys are about 12 years of age. The affair will be investigated.

On last Friday morning Mrs. Martha Fitzgerald died at the home of Mrs. Geo. T. Rush, her daughter, at Togaw Buckingham county. The deceased was 71 years of age and was reared in Buckingham and was a good christian woman of many admirable qualities of character. She leaves a large number of children and grand children—Mrs Anna Coleman, of Appomattox, Mrs. Rodand Wright, Mrs. Geo. T. Rush, of Buckingham, Rev. T. H. Fitzgerald, a prominent Baptist minister of Huntington, W. Va. Her burial took place at her late home Saturday evening, conducted by Rev. J. J. Spencer.

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### F. W. McKinney, Miss Mary McKinney.

At the old McKinney homestead in Amherst, seven miles North of Lynchburg, on Tuesday evening, Sheriff F. W. McKinney, of this county and Miss Mary McKinney, were united in marriage.

The home was tastefully decorated and as the bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of a wedding march—the couple met beneath an arch of evergreen from the center of which swung a marriage bell. Here the Rev. J. A. McMurry, of Lynchburg performed the ceremony which made the union. No cards had been issued, but a great crowd of the friends of the family had assembled to witness the event.

Mr. Luther McKinney, brother of the groom, acted as best man and Miss Jonie, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and were beautiful white dress and carried in her arms a shower of white carnations.

The bride was handsomely attired in a fawn colored suit, with hat and gloves to match and carried bride's roses. Two little cousins with baskets full of flowers were the flower girls Misses Louise Elliott, of Roanoke and Elizabeth Penick, of Lynchburg.

Refreshments were served and the party left for Lynchburg where the bride and groom took the evening train for their home in Appomattox where the sheriff has had his birth place remodelled and modernized for his bride.

Miss McKinney is the youngest daughter of Mr. Sam'l McKinney, a retired farmer, of Amherst, for many years he was a merchant in Lynchburg. She is a charming young lady and we are glad to have her in the social circles of our Appomattox homes. The groom is the popular Sheriff of our county and his friends are glad to know that his bachelor quarters will be known as such no more forever.

### Death of Mrs D. M. Robertson.

Mrs. D. Mott Robertson died at her home in Appomattox county at three o'clock Sunday afternoon, after an illness of seven months duration. The remains were taken to Old Concord church Tuesday evening where Rev. Mr. Jett conducted the simple but beautiful burial service. The choir softly sang "I Would Not Live Alway," and "Asleep in Jesus," after which the body was interred in the family burying ground at Old Concord in the presence of a large assemblage of friends of the family.

The pall bearers were Messrs. E. P. Carson, Hunter Howerton, Richard Smith, Glover Goff, Leslie Morris and Mosely Hunter. The flower bearers were Messrs. Watkins Nowlin, Bailey and Ernest Howerton. The grave was covered with the greatest profusion of flowers.

Mrs. Robertson has been for many years a member of Salem M. E. church and up to her last illness was a regular, attendant upon its services and an earnest worker in every good cause.

She leaves a husband, Dr. Mott Robertson, who has been for many years a prominent physician in Appomattox county, and eight children. She is also survived by four brothers: Messrs. Edward, Charles, William and George Carter, and four sisters: Mesdams J. W. Adams and L. B. Feagans, and Misses Clara and Ella Carter.

The sympathy of a host of friends is extended to the bereaved family.

### South Buckingham News.

Miss Polly Garnett, of Arcanum, has gone to teach a public school in Matthews county.

A hunting school for Gurdsville and Francisco districts has been established at Rock Mills with J. W. Hendrick as teacher.

Mr. E. J. Steger "Ned" is in very poor health. He has been in Farmville three weeks under treatment of Dr. W. E. Anderson but come home a day or two ago, not much improved.

Mrs Hebditch and son, Benjamin and Miss Ellen Davis returned from a long visit to the exposition, Richmond and elsewhe e last week; Herman Spencer, Ed. Anderson and other Buckingham boys will go this week.

J. W. Hebditch and M. C. Elam were elected on Sunday by the New S ore church as delegate and alternate to the meeting of the Presbyterian Synod at Charleston, W. Va. on the 29th inst.

A very respectable girl wishes to spend the winter in the South Would like a position as nurse cook or general house work. Address Miss Mary A. Edie, Newbrighton, Pa.

After Miss Gladys' wedding, the Vanderbilt millions will not be Count-less.

### Andersonville.

Sam Twyman says I must give the news from Andersonville thro' the TIMES. Well, we Andersonville folks like all the Twyman and they like us, and you know how easy it is to do anu say kind things to those whom you like. The good book says love your enemies, but some how or other old nature will like some better than others.

Well the common salutation when you meet now is good morning, how are you, how is Patsy and the children, when is it going to rain, yes we are very dry, and want to remain on the dry side but would like to see a little rain just now. Uncle Jack is dead, Uncle Tom is off on the rail road, the almanacs don't tell the truth about the weather, so we have no infallible way of knowing just when it will rain; but we do know that the early and latter rains will come.

Talking about Uncle Jack and Tom I think of telling Sam of an old colored preacher, Uncle Peter. He was very black large eyes, big mouth, flat nose, long and thin, with very large feet, not particular about his dress but anxious in calling sinners to repentance and keeping good order in his congregation, usually rode a white mule, J n, who carried one ear high up, and the other low down, and come to the conclusion that a slow trot was fast enough for one of her age, and no amount of persuasion with whip or spur could get her to change her opinion. At one of Uncle Peter's appointments a large crowd had assembled, among the rest was Col. Jim, from where the corn is filled with kernel and the Col. was filled with corn, which made him misbehave, and caused Uncle Peter to reprove him very sharply, so much that Col. Jim took serious offence, and declared if he ever had a chance he would give Bro. Peter one goal busting beating. Not long after Col. Jim happened to meet Uncle Peter on old Jin, one car up, the other down, Uncle Peter with his old beaver with a broad badge of mourning around it to show the world his sorrow, his feet in the stirups to the heel of his shoe, sitting straight, he was leaning back unmindful of any new trouble. When he was near enough, with his usual dignity he said, good morning Brer Jim. Don't call me Brer Jim, I got no good morning for you. Ise going to give you a mighty beating this very morning. What's that for Brer Jim? Don't ax me what's dat for, you provec me down at Ebenezer (other Sunday, ise gwine to beat you for it right here in dis very road. Brer Jim, I'se quit fighting, but if you wait until I tell the Lord bout it I'll be ready for you. I am gwine to give you two minutes to tell any body you want to bout dis matter. Uncle Peter dismounted, gave old Jin the bridle, when she goes to eating, and quietly kneels in the corner of the fence and with an audible tone says: Lord you know all things, you knows I done quit fighting, you knows how Brer Jim done tuck me here in dis here road, you know Lord I don't want to kill dis nigger, but his gran daddy he tuck me, I took a hame attck Lord you knows, and knocked dat nigger as dead as a possum and der Lord his daddy he took and done the same thing and Lord you know I gist took my knife and cut his throat from year to year and he looked like a hog on de opening pole, and now Lord here comes Brer Jim jist like his parents fore him and I tole you all about it. You knows I didn't start to do it, Amen.

Uncle Peter rose very dignified, puls out an ugly looking knife with a ten inch blade, picked up a flat rock, commenced to whet and sing

Hard fro o the tomb go dearful sound,
Miss ears attend the cry;
Arising from yaw yaw the ground,
Where you must shortly lie.

He looked around and way across the field and saw Col. Jim, coat tail like a sail in a brisk wind sticking out behind and going at such a gate old Jin could never overtake in her best days.

Our friend Henry Chappell had the misfortune to have his horse's leg broken last week and he had to be shot. John Rush lost his horse by sickness.

Mrs. Bullard with her baby boy and Mrs Reese Anderson went to Richmond and will be away several weeks.

Miss Annie Flood left today to take charge of a school near Norfolk.

Miss Oammie Anderson is attending a business college in Richmond.

### Sheppard.

Miss Jennie Cox, wife of Mathew J. Cox, died last Sunday and was buried on Monday in the family grave yard. Mrs. Cox has been an invalid for some time, and her death was not unexpected. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved husband and adopted son.

There has been a great deal of sickness in our vicinity this summer and quite a few cases of fever. At this time there are three little girls all living in a mile of Sheppards, sick with some variety of fever—Little Marion Pollard, Virginia Forbes and Julia Jones.

Mr. Michael Rafferty is quite sick.

### Dental Notice.

A member of the Baltimo e Dental Association will be at Appomattox Wednesday, October 30 h, and will remain 3 days only, prepared to do all kinds of dental work.

LOST—An open face gold watch at Appomattox Monday. Finder will return to this office and receive reward of five dollars.


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Persons desiring to give notice to trespassers may do so under this head for fifty cents. Send name and postoffice, and your name will be printed three months for 50 cents.

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### LAND SALE.

In pursuance of a decree in the suit of Dunnavant and others vs. Spilsenbury and others, rendered in the Circuit Court of Buckingham County at April term, 1907, we shall as special commissioners appointed thereby, proceed to sell at public auction in front of the court house of Buckingham County on the

### 18th Day of November, 1907,

at one o'clock, p. m. of that day, a tract of land containing by estimation one hundred and forty acres, more or less, situated on the waters of the Appomattox river and adjoining the lands of W. F. Pemberton and John Apperson's estate. This land is within 4 miles of Pronspect depot on the R. & P. railroad.

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JNO. R. MOSS,
SANDS GAYLE,
Special Commissioners.

In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Buckingham, Incorporated and others plaintiffs, against Dunnavant and others, defendants, Chancery. I, W. J. Hubard, Clerk of the said court, do certify that the bond required of the said special commissioners by the decree rendered at April term, 1907, of the said court, has been given by them and filed in my office. Given this 7th day of June, 1907.

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